GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

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FERTILIZER SHOPS CENTRES
RAJO SINGH

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) the location-wise number of the fertilizer shops/centres opened by KRIBHCO and IFFCO in various districts of Bihar, separately;

(b) whether KRIBHCO and IFFCO have formulated any new schemes to provide fertilizers to the farmers; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI S. B. MOOKHERJEE)

a) KRIBHCO has no Krishak Bharati Seva Kendra in Bihar State and fertilizer is being sold through cooperative channels only in Bihar. IFFCO distributes its fertilizers mainly through the cooperative network and their number keeps on changing from season to season. In addition to that, IFFCO has set up two Farmers Service Centres (FSC) in Bihar. One FSC has been set up at Musrigharari in Samastipur District and the other at Rahika in Madhubani District.

b) No, Sir.

c) Question does not arise.